

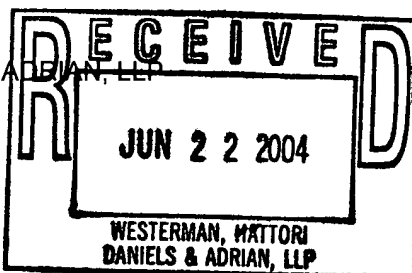
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CONFIRMATION NO. 5316

FORMALITIES LETTER



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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 03 FC:1051 130.00 OP

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) (see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1)). See Figure(s) 1-3.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$900** for a Large Entity

- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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In re the Application of: Masato HAYASHI et al.

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Serial No.: 10/814,807

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Filed: April 1, 2004

Group Art Unit No.: 1772

For: VACUUM HEAT INSULATING MATERIAL AND MANUFACTURING METHOD
THEREFOR

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

**Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450**

August 12, 2004

Dear Sir:


In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, dated June 18, 2004, enclosed for filing is an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Replacement Drawings for the above-identified patent application.

Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$1190.00, for the government filing fee of \$770.00, \$290.00 for multiple dependent claims and the surcharge fee of \$130.00 for filing the late Declaration.

In the event that any additional fees are due with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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